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Challed Manager; GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 conthe Fixed, 5 per Cent. Horokong, 23rd October, 1893. THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,

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Hongkong, 18th June, 1804.

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CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager, Hongkong, 6th November, 1803.

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PERSEVERANCE WE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1165, E.C. N EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the Friedmascers HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, the Figh instant, at 8,50 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Honghous, 9th March, 1895. (315)

#### Antimations.

CEALED TENDERS in duplicate will be received at the ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL until 10 AM. on the 20th March, 1895, from Persons destrous of SUPPLYING BEEF, MUTTON, FOWLS, BREAD, PURE COW'S MILK. AERATED WATERS, ICE and other PROVISIO S and necessaries for the Year ending arst March 1806

Scaled Tenders in duplicate will also be received for the HOSPITAL WASHING and for COAL (AKAIKE). Printed Forms of Tender and Further Parti-

culars can be obtained at the Royal Naval Hospital. The right to reject the lowest or any Tender is reserved.

T. H. KNOTT. Dep.-Inspector General. Royal Naval Hospital Hongkong, 11th March, 1800. [347

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. TENDERS for (3,551) THREE THOUSAND

FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE FULLY PAID UP SHARES the UNALLOTTED PORTION of the SHARE CAPITAL of the COMPANY are INVITED by the DIRECTORS, to be sent in on or before Noon of the 15th day of March instant, to the Undersigned at No. o. Manager, Hongkong. Praya Central. The following conditions to be observed.

I.—The Tenders to be made upon forms which may be had on application, and must be addressed "TENDER FOR SHARES." 2.—The Tenders may be for all or part of the above number of Shares, and must be

accompanied by a payment of 23 per cent. of the amount tendered. 3.-In case of Registered Shareholders and Non-shareholders tendering on equal terms,

Shareholders will have the preference. 4.—Payment in Full to be made at my Office within 24 bours after notice of Allotment has been given, otherwise the Allotment may be caucelled.

5.—The Tenders will be OPENED at 4 o'clock P.M. on FRIDAY, the 15th instant, in the presence of the GENERAL MANAGER and BOARD, and Letters of Allotment will thereupon be issued. By Order,

H. HUTTON POTTS.

Hongkong, 1st March, 18oc. THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWELFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, Declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 23rd March, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 4th March, TRos.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ELEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS. will be held at the OFFICE of the COMPANY, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at 12.30 1214 P.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, Declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and

> The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 23rd March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 4th March, 1805. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS of the COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the GENERAL AGENTS, Pedder's Street, at NOOM, on THURSDAY, the 28th March, for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Accounts to the 41st December, 1804. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 15th to 28th March both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

General Agents. Hongkong, 11th March, 1805.

LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE THIRTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the GENERAL AGENTS, Pedder's Street, at 12.30 P.M., on THURSDAY, the 28th March, for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of

Accounts to the 31st December, 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to 28th March both days inclusive, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, 11th March, 1804.

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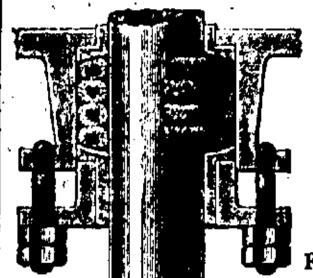
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Riding for Ladies, by W. A. Kerr, V.C.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1805.

Mountaineering, by Claude Wilson.

AMPING OUT, BY A. A. MACDONELL. Cauceing, by J. D. Hayward. Skating, by Douglas Adams Billiards, by Major-Gen. n. W. Drayson. Hockey, by Frank S. Creswell. Draughts & Backgammon, by Berkeley. Dominoes & Solitaire, by Berkeley. Ecarte & Euchre, by Berkeley. Reversi & Go Bang, by Berkeley. Planet & Rubler Planet, by Berkeley. Bezique & Cribbage, by Berkeley. Solo Whist, by R. F. Green. The two move Chess Problem, by B. G. Laws.

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#### Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned has received instructions from C. F. A SANGSTER, Esq., Official Administrator, to Sell by
P.U.B.L.I.C. A.U.C.T.I.O.N.

> THURSDAY, the 14th March, 1895, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at the Residence of the late Mr. ROBERT FRASER SMITH,

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MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from C. F. A. SANGSTER, Esq., OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR to offer for Sale

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THURSDAY, the 28th day of March, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon,

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Hongkong, and March, 1805.

# Shipping.

STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY. THE Steamship

"ORMISTON," Captain E. Outram, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 14th instant, at 5 P.M. For Freight, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1895. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA TION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT. STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE. THE Company's Steamship

"GISELA." Captain A. Mitis, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 16th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SANDER & Co., Hongkong, 8th March, 1805. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND ORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADMLAND, NEW ZEALAND,

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"CATTERTHUN," Captain Shannon, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th instant. This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Pantingers, and has large Cooling Chauslies, thus ensuring a supply of Fresh Meat, Ice, Su., throughout the voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

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"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Steamship

"Carmarthenshire," Captain Richards, will be despatched for the harmone Ports on or about MONDAY, the agth For Freight or Passage, and to

Hotekook, 3th Masob, 1795.

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship

"NAMOA." Captain Thom, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th instant, at Day-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 12th March, 1895.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

"ORONO." Hancock, Commander, will be despatched for the above Posts TO-MORROW, the 13th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 12th March, 1895.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship "MERIONETHSHIRE," Captain Davies, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Honokong, 4th March 1804.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship "TILLIE E. STARBUCK," "Curtis, Master, will load here for the above Port,

and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 16th January, 1805.

FOR SAM FRANCISCO. THE 100 A. I. British Ship

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

"QUEEN MARGARET."

Faulkner, Master, will load here for the above

# Consignees.

Hongkong, 28th February, 1805.

AUSTRIAN LEOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

THE Steamship "VINDOBONA."

informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

16th instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 16th instant, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, oth March, 1805.

COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "SIKH,"

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignsture, and to take immediate delivery of their

Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and Consignees of Cargo from OverLAND POINTS, TACOMA, VICTORIA and YOKOHAMA will please take notice that before delivery can be obtained [340 | they must sign the AVERAGE BOND which

is lying at the Office of the Undersigned. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents Hongkong, 7th March, 1805.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "MACDUFF," FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongloong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th Instant, will be subject

All claims against the Steamer must be perschool to the Understaned on or before the 1sth instant, or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chased, and demaged Goods are to to let in the Gedowne, where they will be examined on the 1sth instant, at 3 7.14.

No First Instantance has been effected.

Mills of Lading will be print approach by DODWELL CARLILL & Co.

- Hengkong, 6th March, 1891

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

### Untimations.

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SHERRY: Mx "Bent dinner; and after dinner MM: a of we v superior vintage. All are Inite Xerne William

CLARET :-- Our Clarets, including the lowest perford, are guaranteed to be the genuine product of the juice of the grape and are not artificially made from raising and currents. as is generally the case with Cheap Wines.

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V HISKY :- All our Whisky is of excellent quality and of greater age than most brands in the market. The Scotch Whisky marked "E" Is un'versally popular and is promounced, by the best local connolsseurs to he severior to any other brand in the Houghong Market.

We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 9th January, 1895.

TRINGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

BIRTHS. At No. 6, Yuen-ming-yuen Buildings, Shanghal, on the 3rd inst., the wife of V. HOYCK of a son.

At Shanghai, on the 5th instant, the wife of A. P. P. de CAMPOS, of a son, DEATHS.

At Ningpo, on the 28th February, Nicholas SMITH, of the Imperial Maritime Customs, aged 37 years. At the General Hospital, Shanghal, on the 4th

March, PAUL GERASCH, boatswain H.I.G.M.'s gunboat Illis. At Padua, (I'nly), on the 4th instant, Com-University, and father of Mr. Pertile, of Sing-

apore. Aged 65 years.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1805.

"BY THEIR WORKS YE SHALL KNOW THEM."

porations in general and of the duties of the recently served up frothy immentations ad naussam, because contemptible drivel has called forth much the executive officers of the Hongkong righteous indignation from all sorts and and Shanghal Banking Corporation, at the conditions of men in the Far East

close of a period of exceptional prosperity, achieved, too, in one of the worst financial periods the modern business world has ever known, have accepted an increment to their fees and to the salaries of the Bank's employees. This self-constituted champion of the shareholders' grievances does not, luckily, represent the vast majority of the fortunate possessors of the hig Bank's scrip and, so as far as his hysterical cries for fair play are concerned his childish pleas may be safely ignored. But when he seeks to belittle the gentleman who has been, and still is, closely identified with the Bank's career and its remarkable prosperity, and writes down the whole Court of Directors as labourers unworthy of their hire, he steps upon ground every foot of which the Telegraph is prepared to contest with him inch by inch, for, according to this croaker's line of argument the Court is merely a sort of scape-goat or target which the shareholders are free to fire at and on whose shoulders can be placed the responsibility for all and every misfortune, while it is in no wise to be credited with a display of exceptional business acumen—no matter how brilliant its achievementsneither are its members to reap the reward of years of devotion to the shareholders' interests. They are merely the guarantee of respectability which corporations require in their primary constitution, but never count for anything in the real work and conduct of the corporation, especially if such be a bank. This shows how little this shareholder knows or understands of a well conducted, sound banking institution and particularly so of the one in question, with its numerous branches, sub-agencies and ramifications, extending the sphere of its action all over the globe.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank is fortunate in the possession of a manager of great ability and rare devotion to his special work, and one who has established a very brilliant record, and the shareholders and depositors are to be congratulated on having on its Board, as advisers, leading business men who rank among the shrewdest financiers of the Colony-men who are presumably substantially interested in the institution, and who therefore leave no stone unturned to insure permanent success and who eschew the cheese-paring policy of those who make themselves ridiculous by being a penny wise and a pound foolish. It is neither probable, nor consistent with the present condition of the bank and its enviable position in public confidence, to suppose that these able business men are allowing this great institution to move along without maintaining an intimate knowledge of its affairs. With the enormous responsibility of their positions ever in view, were they to fall in this respect their course would be foolhardy, suicidal, nay, even criminal; particularly with the warnings of the past few years fresh in their memories, and the records of other financial institutions that have, in recent years, joined the "Great Majority." We say, therefore, that great as may be the credit due to a Chief Manager, the Directors are after all, the backbone of an instltution and it is they chiefly, who insure the confidence of the public. It is, of course, not within the province of the directors individually to supervise the running machinery of the big bank, except in a general way. That is the duty so efficiently performed by the Chief Manager, Mr. THOMAS JACKSON: but it is the duty of each Director to pass upon and sanction the enormous investments of the bank, in whatever form these may be made. If all the directors collectively and individually do but perform conscientiously and continuously this one duty, there need be no fear for the safety of a banking institution. To render this a welcome task, as well as an imperative one, it is desirable to make the compensation of the directors as substantial as the business of the institution from time to time justifies. No disbursement is, we think, more wisely made than that appropriated for this purpose: for "the labourer is worthy of his hire." A bank, above all institutions, needs business men on its Board who have had wide, and thoroughly practical experience in the modern system of investments; and as two heads are often better than one, boards of directors, or Consulting Committees, are invariably formed to conduct the business o large financial institutions and of important public companies. Directors' duties, i conscientiously performed, are extremely

take leave to add that we think the limit should not yet be considered as reached, We congratulate the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-which, by the way, needs mendatore ANTONIO PERTILE, Professor at the no special commendation at our hands any more than do other local banking institutions—on the splendid results achieved through exemplary management and the loyal and cordial co-operation of its army of employees all the world over; and we have no hesitation whatever in condemning the remarks of the blatant Shanghal share, holder as unjustifiable, ill-advised and Idiotic, "By their fruits ye shall know them" and by their fruits-the last balance sheet -are the Directors of the Hongkong and Shanghal Bank known. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating" and it is, indeed, a selfish man who, metaphori-STRANGE indeed are the peculiar ideas cally speaking, would deny the Directors people have, in many instances, of cor- a fair share of the rich pudding executive officers and of the comparative body of shareholders. "Live and let values of their services in particular. "A live" is a grand principle on which to go Shareholder" in a letter addressed to the through life, and we therefore commend N. C. Daily News the other day poured forth | it to the snarling correspondent whose

important, irksome and practically invalu-

able, and the fees paid to them, in most

cases, are ridiculously out of proportion to

the services rendered. And, so far as the

Shanghai Bank directors is concerned, we

remuneration to the Hongkong

#### TELEGRAMS.

LORD ROSEBERY'S CONDITION. LONDON, March 12th.

Lord Rosebery continues weak and depressed.

THE ABYSCINIAN DIFFICULTY. The Times correspondent at Rome gave that France in arming and strengthening Abyveinians; ursues a dang rous course, os France in 1801 recognized anew that Abyssinia and its denendencies, including Harrar, were within the Italian aphere of influence.

THE ORIENTAL WAR.

(Special to N. C. Dally News.) A SENSATIONAL MEMORIAL.

PERING, Merch 3rd. Another Consor, following An Wel-chin's footsops, has been making a sensation by presenting a memorial, wittin with his blood, appealing to the Emperor to sweep away the traitors now holding the most important trusts in the government of the Empire. It is reported that several of the highest pursons, including t Prince, have been deround i. The memorial in question was a secret one and was scaled. and intended for the Empre : "'s eye alone, but, somehow, a good deal has leaked out, although his Majesty has made no reply so fer. "

#### THE NUCLEUS OF THE NEW CHINESE ARMY,

TIRKTSIN, March and.

Hu Yülfen commenced yesterday enrolling extra troops to be placed under his command. vis:-One battalion of mounted carbineers two battallons of horse artille y : five battallons of nfantry, and one battallon saprers and miners. Each bettalion, in addition to their usual arms, is to have two machine guns attached to it. Hu Yū-len had three battalions of infantry. originally, as guards of the Grain Commissariet Department. These will be incorporated with the new brigade. When enlistment is completed the whole force will march at once for Shanhalkuan. The brigade will be under foreign officers, of which General von Hanneken, It is reported, will be appointed chief.

#### INCREASING DISORDER. TIENTSIN, Morch Ath.

The disturbances amongst the soldiers are ncreasing. One General in Shautung province, in attempting to suppress pillaging, was beheaded by the soldiers. Similar troubles in Honan are reported to have been suppressed. Lisoyang, near Moukden, has probably been taken by the

THE PROSPECTS OF PRACE.

Paking, March 4th. After a great deal of tedlous telegraphing through the U.S. Minister the text of the Vicerov Li Wung-hang's credentials has been accepted. Iapan will now refrain from putting any diffi-

culties in the way of the Envoys travelling. LI HUNG-CHANG SPEAKS OUT. In the course of an audience with the Empress-Downger, Viceroy Li Hung-chang spoke frankly as to the state of the Empire. [No more edicts referring to the war are published in the Paking

#### OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

TIENTSIN, March 4th. The successor of Hu Yu fen, as the Chief of the Commissariat of the Hual Army, is to be the Treasurer of Chihli, Chien. The four Com-I misseriat departments of the various brigades of the Slang Army in Manchuria will also, according | London, brought out a cargo of munitions of war at Hiroshima. to Instructions from the War Council at Peking to be consolidated and placed under the Chibli Treasurer. Hu Yil-fat is to go into active service in the field without delay.

### THE PEACE MISSION.

TIENTSIN, March 5tb. The Vicerov Li Hung-chang left Peking today and proceeds by steamer direct from Tientsin to Shimonoseki, where the Japanese Government require him to transship for Hiroshima. Mr. Foster w'll join the Viceroy

LI Hung-chang had his fifth Imperial Audience yetterday, the Empress-Dowager being present. The Privy Council heartily support the peace mission. Prince Kung silencing all opposition by presenting a decument showing the fallure of the Chinese was due to the backward policy for which they were themselves alone to blame, and exonerating Li Hung-chang.

The powers to negotiate, which have been conferred on Li Hung-chang, are believed to be complete, his commission being signed by the

GULF OF PECHILI NOT TO BE BLOCKADED.

TORIO, March 5th. There is no foundation for eny sumours that l'apaneze Government contemplate a Railways. blockede of the Gulf of Pecktil.

THE PEACE MISSION.

TIES ISIN. March 6th. Li Hung-chang is expected to arrive fro Peking this afternoon.

GENERAL SUNG WOUNDED. News received this morning from Manchuria states that General Sung was seriously wounded in the last battle on the 3rd instant, near Newchwang. Severe fighting is going on around Lizoyang bills (south) believen General Tiang Jen-lien and Tarter-General Changle troops against the enemy. I osses on both sides especially on the ard, reparted to be heavy. Lisoyrng is still safe.

LI HUNG-CHANG EXONERATED.

TIENTSIN, March 6th. The Emperor completely yindlestes Ll. Hungchang. He confesses having tried athers yet found him stone trustwe by, and therefore grants him the follest powers to deal with the Japanese and to control aff 's.

AN HONEST CONFESSION.

The Government publicly assumes entire responsibility for the wretened condition of the national defences, which it acknowledges to be the regult of olindness to the progress of other nations. This, of course, places inture reforms in the hands of Li Hung-chung.

### CHINESE PREPARATIONS.

TIERTED, March 7th. Extensive preparations & ve been going on at Pehtang, 100 H north, and at Chilton, 140 H couth of Tientsin, on the Chiall sea coast, to strengthen the focis there with everything necessary to make a stout resistance. The troops are under well known Generals, and it is expected they will make a toner stone that had here the. case hitherto. A very lives believe has also relieve Postang, if backbassy, while the Tientein instructions as to where her cargo should be volunteer terms of thirty fire bestalting under the landed.

Committeens and Level

well-known Tientsin veteran. Ta'ao Ké chung. now holding Slaochan (the old quarters of the Sheng division of General Wei), have received specific orders to march to the rescue of Chilkon whenever called upon.

JAPAN'S NEW MINISTER OF WAR.

YOKOHAMA, March 8th. Field Marshal Count Yamapata, who drove the Chinese out of Kores, has been appointed Minister of War.

MINISTER OF MARINE. Admiral Count Seigo continues in office as Minister of Marine.

LATE TELEGRAMS,

LAHORE, February 21st. The Ameer, whose health is improving, is

fully determined to visit England. Last night the Misn Mir garrison gave a farewell ball in the Montgomery Wall, Labore, to Lord Frankfort on the eve of his relinguishing the command of the district. During supper. Colonel Wilson, of the 14th Pioneers, rose and proposed the health of the priest of the evening and Lady Franklort, in a sympathetic sentences, which were warmly spoisuded, expressive of the sorrow which all felt in parting from a General who was so deservedly popular: Lord Frankfort, whosevising was the signal for prolonged anniance correw that he must now part from so many good comrades and kind friends, to whose help and kindness he attributed whatever good work he had been able to do.

LONDON, February 27th. Lord Rosebery's general health is slightly better, but the insomnia still remains very

ST PETERSBURG, February 27th. M. de Steel, at present Ambassador for Russia to the Court of St. Ismes, has been offered the portfolio of Foreign Affairs. The English press look upon this appointment as of most happy angury for the cordiality of future relations. between England and Russia, and are con sequently very jubilant in their remarks upon it LONDON, February 28th.

Sir Hercules Robinson has been appointed to the Governorship of the Caps, in succession t Sir Fenry Brougham Lock,

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL

BROADWOOD PIANOS at W. Robleson & Co. H.M.S. Mercury, Captain W. H. Fawker arrived at Singapore on the 4th instant,

IT is quite 'on the carda' that Colonel Penne father, of the Inniskillings, will be appointed Inspector-General of the Straits Police Force.

THE British gunbost Swift, which left Sings. pore on the 4th inst., arrived here this afternoon Her destination is Tientaln, where she relieves the Linnet.

SIR Saul Samuel, who has represented the colony of New South Wales in England for a number of years, is about to be retired on account of old age.

Office Boy: "Two man wanchee see you-one blong poet, and tother bliong deaf man. Fditor: "Well, go out and tell the poet that the deaf mon is the Felter "

or the local naval authorities. A REGULAR meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 613 S.C., will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, Zetland

Visiting brethren are cordially invited. NEW Comic Song and Dance Albums at W Robinson & Co.

Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely

THE peculiar Chinese policy makes it better for Chinese generals to surrender than to escape If they surrender they are treated as prisoners of war; if they escape off come their heads,

CAPT. COAPE-SMITH. A.D.C. to the Viceroy of India, has been appointed Assistant Commandant of the two hundred Sikha who are about to be recruited in India for service in East Central

CAPT. HUNTER, formerly of the steamer Borneo, has been discharged owing to his having run the steamship Lady Michell on a rock in the Banca Straits. The vessel was, however, able to proceed to Singapore, where she has been docked.

effect that Mr. G. Detring's connection with the Imperial Maritime Customs Service has been severed and that he has been appointed Director-General of the Kaiping Mines and North China

As we confidently predicted in our last issue would be the case, the British schooner Caleb Curtis, Capt. J. Raymond, whi h was despatched about two months ago to the scene of the wreck of the German steamer Bellona, returned to Hongkong this morning from North Rest (Paracels Group).

COLLARD & COLLARD PIANOS at W. Robinson

On the 8th instant the stermer Devawongse, while making for her buoy in Swatow harbour. fouled the Douglas Co.'s steamer Thales, which was moored to Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s buoy. The Devamongse smashed up three of her own boats, but the Douglas liner, according to our correspondent, got off scathless and was, of course, in no way to blame since she was virtually at anchor while the Devawongse

THE Straits Maritims Journal alleges that a schemals la existence to start a Chinese Volunteer Corps at Penang. This move arises from the fact that the two companies of British troops there are shortly to be taken away, and the Chinese are maturally uneasy that no adequate defence remains in that Settlement. It is reported that everything has been arranged except permission from the Governor, who has, however, been applied to.

Our Swatow correspondent, writing under date Sth instant, reports the arrival at that port of the German steamer Trobol on the 3rd instant. She lest Swatow before daylight on the 4th, destination unknown. Since she came direct from Suez. without touching at any point en route, and as she is officered by old China "hands" it is presponed that she was loaded with munitions of was consigned to and owned by the Chinese Government to and that she called in at Swatow, with a view to ascertaining the whereabouts of W. ROBINSON & Co., plano builders, teners and

THE Russian gunboat Gramyastchy, Commander Cherkass, attended he the torpedo boat Svenborg. Captain Ergomischeff, arrived at Singapore from Colombo on the 3rd last. en route to the Far

Mutual Friend :- "It really is shocking, dear, the way in which you and your husband quarrel and carry on. I wonder you don't separate from

Injured Wife:- "What? Go away and leave him alone to do just as he likes. Not me!"

IT is notified that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to fix the rate at which the Dillar shall be issued at Hongkong, the Strate Settlements, and on the China Station during the querter commencing 1st April, 1895, at two shillines!

New plane repairing machinery, received by

W. Robinson & Co. THE Sporting League are going to take up the County Council Elections at home and are working against the "Progressives" and Puri tans, and are becoming an important factor in the land. There will be weeping and wailing and guasting of teeth towards the latter end of this month when some of the Canting Division get the sacred Order of the boot, or get'a 'set back' that will last them a century.

made a short and extrest speech. In which he THE British and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society spoke of his years of service in India, and his has received an intimation that the contract for supplying Chinese coolies for servile labour in Brezil, against which the Society letely entered a strong protest, has now been withdrawn. But what about the r. too hapless coolies shinned to Mexico from Macso about two years ago? What were the terms of their contracts and how many of them understood their " free labour" contracts

MR. Griffiths, M.P. for the Northern Territory of South Australia, who was here en route to Ispan a few days ago, is reported by a Sydney I ing in support of the accuracy of such rumours, paper to have expressed considerable anxiety in I am to state that the Government cannot place reference to the existence of leprosy amongst the i any credence therein, and I am to express regret natives of Alligator River, N.T., and suggested | that by inadvertence publicity was given to the quarantining of all those affected on one of what appeared to be a charge of corruption but the islands adjecent to the coast. It is believed which, on investigation, is found to be the that the loathsome disease was introduced by repetition of mere rumours unsupported by a Malay trepang fishers.

FULL stock of baniss mandolines, gultars, scrordions, strings and fittings of all kinds at Council, W. Robinson & Co

AT No. 9 Police Station this afternoon Chief Inspector Corcoran, who was accompanied by several of the Inspectors and Sergeants of the Force, presented Mrs. Duncan, wife of Acting Inspector Duncan, with a handsome silver tea service in the name of the members of the local Force. Acting Inspector Duncan, in a brief and pithy speech, suitably acknowledged the compliment paid to his "better half" who has, by ber kindly manners and sympathy with all ranks, endeared herself to all with whom she and her popular husband bave come in contact during a lengthy solourn in the Colony.

THE loreign military attachés (Surgeon-Colone) Taylor, Col. Wogach, Capt. du Boulay, and Lleut. O'Brien) together with the representatives of the Temps, Pall Mall Gazette. San Francisco Chronicle, and New York Harded (Messis, Legurler, G. W. Ward, Smith, and Henry O'Sheal returned to Kobe from Wel-hal-wel by the Tokio-Mars on the 27th ult. Lieut. Beacom (U. S. Army) and Mr. T. Cower, the Times correspondent, dld not accompany them, having gone round to Chefoo. Surgeon-Colonel Taylor and Capt, du Boulay proceeded to Tokyo at ouce but at date of latest advices Col. Wogack was THE British steamer Merionethshire, Capt. D. I staying with Mr. de Wenndrich, the Russian Davies, which arrived here late last night from Consul at Kobe, while Lieut. O'Brien was still

loss of H.M.S. Victoria will be fresh in all to follow." memories. A most disastrous collision occurred in the English Channel on May 31st, 1878, when amples, however, seem to afford close parallels; In Guess they will, too. March, 1886, the Cunarder Oregon was run into off Long Island, approaching New York, by an unknown schooner. Like the Ribe. she was struck smidships, and a buge hole cut in her: but, unlike the Ribe, she kept affort for eight bours, and a passing steamer rescued all her passengers and crew. The schooner was never heard of again. The second parallel is the case of the North Rest, an emigrant ship bound from London to Hobart Town which was run into by the Spanish steamer Murillo, and sank in three-quarters of an hour. With the grossest NEWS has reached Shanghal from Peking to the inhumanity the Murillo backed and steamed off, and was only discovered and identified some time afterwards. This catastrophe was noteworthy for the splendid conduct of Captain Knowles, of the Northflest, who stood an editorial mainly devoted to emphasisover the boats revolver in hand, and thus secured ling the propriety of moderation by the Japanese the rescue of the women and children. He in their treatment of their conquered neighbours, sclually shot one man who refused to give way. I once they have really impressed the fact upon Out of 412 passengers, only 85 were saved, I the Court and people that they are not invincible. smong them Mrs. Knowles, to whom a pension! Then the London journal proceeds: Until the of Acowas afterwards awarded from the Civiliterms offered by China and the counter-List in recognition of her husband's bravery. | proposals of Japan are made public, it would It is, moreover, worth reminding our readers of be prematere to bazard any forecast as to what the Prince Alice, run down by the Bywell the details of the agreement between the Castle (September, 1878), nearly 700 lives lost : and the Arctic, run down by the Vesta in 1854, ever, one or two points which are pretty certain over 300 being lost.

#### *CORRESPONDENCE* We do not necessarily endures the opinions expressed by Correspondents to this column.)

THE NAVAL COURT MARTIAL. A CONTRADICTION.

To the Eperce of them." Homogone Tringgaph." Six.-With reference to the paragraph, which painful fact that they, have been really beaten. appeared in your paper of the 12th of March, All Orientals recognize that the payment of in reference to the Court Martial held on my tribute is a confession of defeat, and a war self on board H.M.S. Leander, it was with indomnity is a kind of capitalized tribute. surprise that I read the statement therein made. Another concession on which it may be by you as to my having been found drunk in the assumed with some confidence that Japan Admiral's cable, and I now contradict it, my will sinsist is the transfer to her of the case being as follows :---

a.m. on the agth February on the upper deck formed the original pretext, if they were not the whilst getting out Torpedo Net Defence. an id I shall look for an early contradiction of the I she will now be satisfied with anything short of statement made, also to receive a copy of the paper containing it.

> I beg to remain, Yours truly,

M. J. DELANKY Gumer. 1521

H.M.S. Centurion, Hongkong, March 12th, 1864.

We willingly publish Mr. Delansy's letter. "The statements that appeared in our last issue. were septied to a Houghong Telegraph reporter yesterday by ben Commissioned

#### LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon. There were present :- The Governor, Sir William Robinson: Mr. J. H. Stewart Lockbart (Registrar-General and Acting Colonial Secretary); Mr. A. J. Leach (Activate Attorney General); Mr. F. A. Cooper (Director of Public Works); Comdr. R. M. Rushrey, A.M. (Harbour Master); Mr. A. M. Thomson (Acting Colonial Treasurer); Dr. Ho Kai, Messrs. J. I. Weswick, C. P. Chater, A. McConschle and E. R. Belillos, unofficial members, and Mr. A. Seth, Clerk of Councils.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The "Report Nof the Captain Superintendent of Police for 1804." a "Statement Showing the Total Revenue and Expenditure in the year 1894" and a "Financial Statement for 1894" were laid on the table by the Acting Colonial Secretary.

ALLEGED CORRUPTION IN THE HARBOUR

DEPARTMENT. The following letter was laid before the Legislative Council to-day by Command of his Excellency the Governor :--

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Hongkong, 27th February, 1895. Sir.-With reference to paragraph 12, of page 56, of the evidence appended to the report of the Retrenchment Committee, I am directed to Inform you that Mr. Thomson denies the accuracy of the words therein attributed to him by the Chairman, but admits having made a confidential statement before the Emigration Committee to the effect that from current reports printing the Chinese, of which he, as Acting Registrar General, was informed confidentially, there was a certain amount of reason to believe that corruption existed in the passing of

As, however, no proof appears to be forthcomvestige of evidence.

I am to add that this letter will be laid on the table at the next meeting of the Legislative

> I have the honour to be, Sir. Your most obedient servant,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Acting Colonial Secretary. The Honourable the Harbour Master,

A FAVOURABLE STATEMENT. The Acting Colonial Secretary laid a Financial Statement of the revenue and expenditure in the year 1804 on the table and in so doing said that, notwithstanding the epidemic of plague, it was the most favourable one ever made in the bistory

of the Colony. If was referred to the Finance Committee in

The Sanitary Byc-laws were then considered and the passing of them postponed in deference to the wishes of the Hon, J. J. Keswick. Left proceeding.

SHANGHAI SPORTING GOSSIP.

Shanghal, March 2nd.

Training commenced here yesterday morning, and the Coffee Roll was a large one. The morning was damp and chilly; course a little clammy, and the order of the day seemed to be

Thirty-three more griffins were put under the THE *Blue* disaster calls to mind many bammer yesterday afternoot, and despite a Instances of maritime collisions resulting in heavy snowstorm the bidding was very animated huge liners going down with all, or nearly all, on | and some tailish prices were reached. The board :- The Ulopia which ran on the ram of native dealers smole huge smiles all over their the Anson in Gibraltar Bay, in March, 1801, faces and right down their back. The supply with a loss of 564 lives, while the more recent I of "mokes" is plentiful and "still there's more

This morning the 22 "Subs" were drawn for. one or two stretched themselves well afterwards a German fronclad, the Grosser Kurfürst, was down the straight. I heard that canny Celestial rammed and sunk by another warship, the Konig | " foe " tell some of the noble owners to " puttee Wilkelm, and 300 lives were sacrificed. Two,ex- soup" after their little 'pows' were over.

It is a bitterly cold morning. The roads were a sheet of ice as the noble 'sub' owners hurrled to the course at 7 o'clock to'claim their darlings. Don't think the winner of any important race will be found on the Subscription List this year, Tons more sporting "Gup" later on.

THE ORIENTAL WAR.

WHAT THE TERMS OF PEACE MAY BE In the Times of December 26th we find combatants are likely to be. There are, howto be included in any possible treaty of peace. Japan will, doubless, exact from her defeated enemy a war indemnity proportionate to the expenses to which she has been put and to the immense wealth of her foe, The demand for such an indemnity will serve more than one purpose. It will recoup Japan for the heavy cost of the campaign, it will weaken China's powers of recuperation, and the taxation which it will necessitate will bring home to the Chinese populace in a convincing way the

sozeralniy of Korea. Her claims to a pri-Being under the influence of drink at 12.10 villaged position in regard to that country original cause, of the war. It is not likely that a complete abandonment by China of all pretensions to Korea, and a full and unreserved recognition of her own rights as the protecting Power. It can be hardly supposed that even Chinese fatulty will fail to acknowledge that both these concessions are indispensable to peace. To the first, indeed, no objection can be ressonably taken in any quarter. China must pay the penalty of her weakness, her corruption, and her culpable want of foresight. The second, on the other, hand, may possibly be considered to affect the interests of other Powers basides the

officers on beard the Leander .- Ed., H.K | Wavething, of course, depends on the manner

to which it may be proposed that the transfer Translation relations

should be extried out, and on the measure of autonomy to be conceded to the Koreans. There can be no doubt that the unfortunate peningula will be infinitely better governed and far more Pekin: and if the only alteration made is to substitute the effectual sway of the Mikado for the nominal suzerainty of the Emperor of China, most of us would gladly acq leace in the change. Transfers of the sort, however, are sometimes attended by incidental complications, and it is casy to conceive circumstances in which serious difficulties might arise in the present case,

Discussing the rumour that Japan may further demand special commercial privileges in the Chinese markets, the Times dismisses the idea as altogether unlikely, but thinks it probable a general opening up of her trade may be insisted upon. "Such a step," says the writer, "would be in accordance with Japan's assumed position in this contest as the champion of Western er lightenment against the fossilized barbarlem of her adversary. It would therefore afford a legitimate gratification, to her national pride. At the same time she would have the satisfaction of displaying her generosity very cheaply. With factory labour at a few pence a day, with serviceable coal delivered at the mills at less than 6. a ton, and with a relatively short distance between her mils and the markets, Japan can probably hold her own against all the world in China. Even if she cannot do so now, she will cirtainly be able to do so very shortly, and her statesmen have doubtless realized the full strength of her commercial position. The only real danger to which the conquerors seem to be at all exposed in the darger of prejudicing outside opinion against them by making extravagant

A letter from the Tientsin correspondent of the Times printed in the same issue well describes the causes and the completeness of the Chinese collapse. Complete, however, as that collapse now is, it would be injudicious, as the editorial remarks, to a sume that the defensive resources of the great Empire are exhausted for good and all. "It is reported that even now China is making efforts to provide herself with means for her protection in the future. It is strange and it Is ominous, if it be true, that Japan is said to regard this natural step as a proof that China is, Insincere in her overtures for peace. Surely she does not expect her defeated adversary to renounce all possibility of resistance, before that adversary has even learned the term; to which she is bid den to assent?"

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

Under the head-line "Late Telegrams" we published in last night's Telegraph a few telegrams culled from our Australian exchanges and we now give a number of interesting items that were "crowded out" of that issue :-

I ONDON, February 12th. It is understood that the Marquis of Ripon, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has shown privately to members of the House of Commons the co resuondance which passed between Sir George Dibbs and Sir Robert Duff with respect to the nomination of members to the Legislative | paralysed, Council of New South Wales.

His lordship is unwilling to have the correspondence fald upon the table of the House owing to its being of a confidential character,

February 13th. The correspondence between Sir Robert Duff and Sir George Dibbs shows that the objection raised by the Governor of New South Wales was not to the individuals nominated, but to the number proposed to be sent to the Council. The replies of Sir George Dibbs to the communica-

tions of Sir Robert Duff are very strongly worded The Ford Mayor of Dublin attended at the bar of the House of Commons to-day to present a petition, on behalf of the municipalities in Ireland, praying for an amnesty to be granted to Irish political prisoners. The release of these men levying duty on excisable goods in Adelaide, would, the petition set forth, "remove a jurt | cause of discontent."

The president of the Board of Agriculture was annum walted, upon to-day by a deputation from merchants and others interested in the importation of live cattle from Australia. They asked A few were found to be broken. that the board's regulations with regard to the landing of live cattle from abroad might be relaxed so far as Australian cattle were concerned

Mr. H. C. Gardner, in reply, said that the matter had been carefully considered, and a decision arrived at that no relaxation of the rules could be allowed.

Replying to a question in the House of Commons to day, Sir William Vernon Harcourt Chancellor, of the Exchequer, said that th Government would not include in their proposed Payment of Members Bill a provision for the payment of the election extenses of members. The Government had no Intention of abandoning the Payment of Members Bill, but its introduction depended upon the question of time and

MELHOURNE, February 13th. Little progress has been made in the direction of elucidating the possibilities of retrenchment

Ministerial Retrenchment Committee, Colonel Penny spoke in favor of maintaining the military force at its present strength. He pointed out that It was very difficult to get trained men in times of panic, and if there was a war scare, any deficiency in the force would render the authorities better equipment, he was not prepared to recommend that they should be abolished,

The inquest on the bodies of Jane and Jessie Perkins, who were found dead in a house in South Melbourne, was concluded to-day. The lury found that Mrs. Perkins died from heart disease, and her daughter by her own act, from suffication by the fumes of charcoal. LONDON, February 13th,

Arrangements have been made for the Emperor William of Germany to open the Baltic and North Sea Canal in June next,

the German-Emperor, starts at Holtenan, on serious. the north side of Kiel Bay, and joins the Elbe, " at £8,0 0 000.1

that a joint commission should be appointed to | movement, among them being Mr. Wilson The attempt to throw the blame upon the discuss the details in connection with the pro- Lloyd, Conservative member for Wednesbury, | Slamese is as cowardly as it is cuming. posed Pacific cable. It is suggested that three | and Mr. R. L Everett, Liberal member for the delegates should be appointed one by Great | Woodbeidge Division of Suffolk. Britain, one by Canada, and the third by Australls-and that there should meet in London to finally arrange matters.

1025. per cwt.

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politicians. 

200 bales from Australia. The prices realised were from 291 to 794 per 1b.

In the House of Commons to-day Mr. William H. K Redmond, Parnellite member for East Clare, inquired whether the Government would efficiently protected from Toklo than from introduce an Enabling Bill if the Australian colonies determ ned upon a federal constitution. Mr. Sydney Charles Box'on, Parliam-ntary

Secretary of the Colonial Office, in reply, said that in the event of the colonies adopting a federal constitution the Government would be favourably inclined to introduce a measure to give effect to it

The crew of a Hull trawler which was wrecked on the Scotch coast near Wigton had a fearful experience.

After reaching the shore they climbed a precipice soft. high, and then dug a snow but, in which they took refuge. When ultimately rescued the whole of the men were found to be paralysed and frostbitten, and it will be necessary for some limb of each man to be amoutated.

An outcry has recently been raised in France

at the contracts for tinned meats for the army

being given to foreign firms. As a result of the agitation a meeting of the Fre ch Cabinet was specially summoned at which it was decided that orders should be given forbidding the acceptance of all tenders from foreign firms for the supply of food to the army.

February 14th. The People's Rights Party in Russis, which is largely composed of the best men, are indignant at the autocratic claims of the Czar. They have issued a manifesto in which they state that the Emperor Nicholas has killed his popularity, that in claiming autocracy he is digging his own grave, and will soon succumb, and that he has challenged the country to choose between progress and liberty.

The officials of the Colonial Office state that they have not received any proposal from the Canadian Government with respect to the appointment of a joint commission to finally arrange matters in connection with the Pacific

Mr H. H. Asquith, Home Secretary, replying to the petition from Irish municipal bodies for the release of Irish political prisoners, said that the atrocity of the crimes committed by the prisoners precluded the granting of an amnesty. He promised, however, to have a further consultation with the judges before whom the mea were tried.

. Terrible distress prevails at Birmingham, where 40,000 unemployed persons have been reduced to a state of starvation. They are Petty Cash in hand ........ 32.93 asking for help from the municipal funds.

A fire occurred yesterday in a hardware store in the town of Lynn, Massachusetts, America. While the firemen were at work endeavouring to extinguish the flames a terrible explosion took place, which completely rent the building. Six of the firemen fell into the firming cavity and were burned to death.

The German Reichsiag has adopted a motion. submitted by the Socialist section of the members, for the withdrawal of the dictatorial powers at present exercised by the Governor of Alsace-Lorraine.

Reports from Constantinople state that the city is in a disturbed and troubled condition. Murders, which go unpunished, occur daily in the streets, and trade with the interior is completely Berlin reports that grave events have arisen

at Sofis, the capital of Bulgaria, and that Prince Ferdinand has fled into Roumanis. The reports have not, however, been confirmed. The West Australian Development Corpora-

tion, which was recently formed with a capital of £50.000, state that they have purchased the Moyston gold mine, and intend to commence operations immediately. The Glade one Limited Blackflag Gold-mining

Company, Coolgardie, has been registered with a capital of £100,000. Mr. Buckland, the promoter of the company, states that the working capital has been subscribed. The British Chamber of Shipping have com-

plained to the South Australian Agent-General of what they regard as an unjust method of The Australian Mutual Shipping Company declare a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent, per

The shipment of Australian eggs by the R.M.S. Massilla has been sold at 9s. per 100.

AUCKLAND, N.Z., February 14th, The German Government have called the attention of the New Zealand Executive to the fact that arms and ammuntion are being exported to Samoa. The Government have, therefore, decided to issue an Order-in-Council, prohibiting the export of arms and ammunition

to that place. office of Mr. Campbell, solicitor, when it is menacingly hinted that the soldiers and armaalleged a farmer named Swann fired a revolver I ments despatched to Madagascar may possibly at Mr. Campbell, it appears that Mr. Campbell, seventually land somewhere else. The abuse of seeing Swann drawing his revolver, sprang forward, and selzed the man's wrist before journal is notorious has been getting a little he had time to raise the weapon. A short more virulent of late, and now comes this struggle ensued, during which the revolver telegram reporting an absolutely impossible went off, the ball striking the division of a glass | conflict. Our thanks are due to our Singapore partition, and entering the end of the wall thin. contemporary for scotching the lie on the spot from the floor. One of the clerks, hearing the but a telegram spread broadcast over the world, shot, rushed into the room, and wrenched the supplied to editors possessing less knowledge revolver from Swann. The accused was brought of the facts of the case than does on in the Defence Department. At a meeting of the up at the police court to-day, charged with colleague at Singapore, cannot but exert a attempting to murder, and the case was sinister influence, and there can be no doubt remanded. Ball was refused. The brother of that that, and that alone, is the reason for its the accused prisoner states that the prisoner has having been supplied to Reuter. We have seen carried a revolver for the past four years, ever often enough the means by which France since three relatives named Pook were murdered proceeds when she desires to pick a quarrel, on the East Coast by Maoris. Consequently, and this looks very much like one of her methods, and the Government blameable for not keeping | he claims possession of the weapon. There is | Since all the world knows that the Siamesean efficient service. Commander Kingsford no evidence that Swann went into Campbell's more's the shame of it-have now no right on the admitted that our gunboats were not up to office with an evil intent, and the accused denies left bank of the Mekong, France expects to modern requirements, but in the absence of any intention of firing at or injuring Campbell.

LONDON, February 14th. Owing to the London demand for Canadian butter having been reduced by one-half, the Canadian Government, with a view to enabling their own producers to compete, have arranged to provide the necessary storage. They have also offered to make advances to growers equi- from which Phra Yot was ejected, and which he valent to 10 l. per lb. on each pound of buiter shipped to the United Kingdom. This arrangement, however, is to be only of a temporary May, 1893. As for the right bank, there character.

Salesmen state that Canadian butter will nearest point on the river to Kham Mueng, chiefly arrive in London in July and August, but | and it is not at all likely that a detachment [This canal, which was begun early in 1891 by | they do not regard the intended competition as | should have been sent all that way merely for

15 miles above its mouth. It is 61 miles long, of Commons for the initiation of a world's con-200ft, wide at the surface, and 85ft, at bottom, ference to legalise the unlimited coinage of silver, the depth being 28ft. The cost is estimated and to restore its stability in the currency of the been between some of the French soldiers and

MELBOURNE, February 14th. The board appointed to inquire into the rates Hypophosphites acts both as food and medicine. of pay of the permanent naval and military It not only giver flesh and strength by virtue of its Australian butter is quoted at from 100s. to forces, and make recommendations for regrading own nutritious properties, but creates an appetite of same in all future appointments and promo- for food that builds up the wasted body. Read A portion of the shipment by the R.M.S. tions, have sent in their report. They recom- the following:-"Scott's Emulsion is in my Massilia arrived in excellent condition, but a mend reductions in the pay fofficers, but leave opinion an excellent and valuable compound. portion which was shipped overheated has the Imperial officers to be dealt with by Parlia- have given it to consumptive patients and have ment. They also recommend the laying up of | been delighted with the results obtained. It is The trial has commenced in Paris of the the gunboats Victoria and Albert, so that they pleasant to the taste and can be borne by the leading newspaper writers who are charged could be looked after by the men at the Torpedo | most sensitive stomach."-E. A. Rodway, M.D., with levying blackmall on public companies and Depot. It is suggested that, in view of Austra- Butter-Knowle, Darlington. Any Chemist can lasian federation, some united action be taken by supply it. Sole Agents for Hongkong and the

#### HUMPHREYS' ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

The following is the report of the Governing Directors for the year ending the arst December, 1894, for presentation to the shareholders at the ninth ordinary annual general meeting of the Company to be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 & 40, Queen's Road Central, on Saturday, the 23rd lostant :-

To the Shareholders of Humphreys Estate and Finance Company, Limited.

Gentlemen,-We beg to lay before you our report and balance sheet for the year 1894. The net profit, including a balance of \$513.29 brought forward from last year, amounts to \*10,295, cut of which we propose to pay a dividend of 7 per cent. on the ordinary shares. which will absorb \$9,380, and carry forward \$915 to new profit and loss account.

The accounts have been audited by Mr. Fullation Henderson, who offers himself for re-election as auditor for the ensuing year. JOHN D. HUMPHRRYS & SON.

Governing Directors. Hongkong, 8th March, 1895.

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1894. Cash on Deposit ..... \$ 8,360.81 Fixed Loans ...... 138,068.49 Fund for Equalization of Dividends., 40,400.00 Capital Account, Ordinary

Shares .....\$ 134,000 Capital Account, Deferred Shares ...... 120,000

--\$2**\$4**,000,00 Profit and Loss ..... 10,201.00

\$451.124.30 Assets. Amount Invested in Property ......\$311,441 50 do. on Mortgage... . ... 103,835.46 Amount Invested in Public Companies 2,600.00 Sundry Debtors ..... \$,036.10 Building Materials,.... 479.68 Office Furniture Cashin Hongkong & Shang.

8,311.18

\$451,124.10

PROFIT AND LOSS. To general charges, repairs, Crown rents, fire insurance, auditor's fees and depreciation ..... \$ 3,048 90 Remuneration to Governing Directors for management, clerks, and

office rent ..... Dividend of 7 per cent. on \$144,000.00 ..... Balance to new account ......

amount carried forward; from 1893.\$ 513 29 .. Rents, interest, &c., &c...... 15,830.61

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

Governing Directors. HART BUCK.

Secretary. I have compared the above statement with the books, vouchers, and securities of the Company and have found the same to be co-rect. F. HENDERSON.

Hongkong, 8th March, 1895.

A CRUEL CANARD.

Slam has quite enough enemies without Reuter's agency taking upon itself the responsibility of spreading false rumours about her relationships with her watchful foe, says the Siam Observer. Whether there is any deep scheme put forward it is as yet too soon to state, but it behoves those who have the best interests of this country at heart to be on their guard against any possible emergency, The French Press to Indo-China have not ceased to advocate the annexation of the whole of Siam, and Regarding the sensational occurrence at the the local represe tative of French interests has Siam and everything Slamese for which that arouse the sympathy of the world (as preparatory to any forward stop that may be decided upon at any future time) by means of these false statements of the agree lone of the Commissioner of Luarg Phrabang and of conflicts such as that under review. Kham Muong, be it noted, is evidently the very place with all his following left in the undisturbed possession of the French so far back as is not a Slamese force within 60 miles of the the purpose of attacking a French force stationed A movement has been started in the House in its own territory. The fact is that the conflict, if any have taken place—the whole story might be false just as well as a part-has the people of the district, whom they know so The Canadian Government have proposed Members on both sides are interested in the well how to oppress and so ill how to govern.

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### Co-day's Advertisements.

ат. јонија LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMA SOME HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING. the 12th instant, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 12th March, 1895.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. H. HOPPIUS in Our Firm CEASED on the 31st December last, SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, tath March, 1895. HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE

HE NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL GENFRAL MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS of the above COMPANY will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Governing Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the

year ending 31st December, 1804. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 23rd instant, both days inclusive. By Order.

HART BUCK. Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1805 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. THE Company's Steamship "FORMOSA."

Captain T. P. Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports on ! HURSDAY, the 14th instant, at Daylight, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers, Henrkong, 12th March, 1805 "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "MERIONETHSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and 915.00 Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowicon, whence and/or from the wharves \$15,343:90 delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th instant, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-

sented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th instant, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL CARLILL & Co. Hongkong, 12th March, 1805.

#### Intimations.

"DERMATOL" A ANUFACTURED by FAREWEREE. Hocher s/M.; its effect in stimulating the closing up of WOUNDS, and in internal administration against diarrhoea, is described as

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The Hotel steam-launch attends Steamers arriving and departing. Passengers are met at the Railway Station.

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Cerified Guides are in attendance at both Hotels.

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Hongkong, 13th August, 1894. NEW CANTON HOTEL. FRENCH CONCESSION, SHAMEEN.

Telegraphic Address : - "NEW." COOD ACCOMMODATION and EXCEL-LENT CUISINE.

BOARD and LODGING by the day :-One Person .....\$3.50 Married Couples occupping one Room ..... \$6.00

Telephone and Electric Bells fitted up

throughout the Establishment, The Hotel provides Boats for the conveyance of Visitors to and from Steamers. T. F. DA CRUZ. Manager.

PEAK HOTEL.

Canton, 1st February, 1895.

OPEN ALL THE YEAR ROUND. THIS commodious and well appointed HOTEL, situated at a height of 1,250 feet above sca-level, has just been thoroughly re-decorated, renovated and re-furnished, and a

NEW WING has been built, which commands

magnificent Views of the Harbour and mainland of China. SPECIAL WINTER RATES, (FROM NOVEMBER 1ST TO MARCH 31ST). One person, per day.....\$2.50 to \$ 3.00 Married couple (occupying one room) per

dey ...... Married couple (occupying one room) per month .....\$100 to 105.00 Married couple (occupying two rooms) per month ......\$110 to 120.00 Extra Bed-room, per month ..... 20.00 For further particulars, apply to

THE MANAGER, New Victoria Hotel. Hongkong, 16th October, 1804. THOMAS' GRILL ROOMS,

THE Undersigned has always thought that in a such a place as this was the one thing needed to fit in between HOTEL LIFE and the PRIVATE BOARDING House-providing it be First-class in every detail. A place where one may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK at any hour of the Day, up to II P.M.; or later if notice be given. He is also prepared to SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES per: MENU or ORDER-the Parties sending Dishes, &c., for same-and Cash, Terms :-Breakfast ... per meal \$.0.75 ... per Month \$12

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Dinner ..... Breakfast, Tiffin and Dinner... Besskiest and Timm ...... Ties and Dinner ..... SPECIAL TIFFINS and DINNERS perved | signed, MERCOLONG Style at sheet motion.

W. THOMAS.

#### Notices of Firms. NOTICE.

THE authority given Mr. F. A. MEYER to Sign our Firm per Procuration has been WITHDRAWN. Mr. JOHANNES PETERSEN has been Authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration here and in FORMOSA.

JULIUS MANNICH & Co. Hongkong and Formosa, 8th March, 1805.

#### Amusements. COOKE'S CIRCUS

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OF PERFORMING WILD ANIMALS will shortly arrive here for a short season from Rangoon.

# For Sale.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1895.

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Amoy, 15th February, 1895. FOR SALE OR HIRE.

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CAPTAIN J. C. SAUNDERS,

BROCKETT & Co., Foochow. Amoy, 2nd February, 1805.

THE FREDERICKSBURG BREWERY CO.'S LIGHT PALE ALE, Unsurpassed in quality

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The National Bank of China, Ld.—on &B.o.o. paid up,-\$20, sellers. The National Bank of China, Ld.—Founders " ares, nominal.

The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld.nominal The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld.-Founders' theres- fs, buyers.

CHINESE LOANS. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-11 perfectat premium. MARINE INSURANCES.

Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$150 per share. buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$642 per share, sales and buyers. North China Instrance-Tls. 210 per share,

sellers. Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$1571 per share, buyers. Vangisse Insurance Association—\$90, buyers.

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tle. 15 per shere. The Straits Insurance Co., Ld.—\$24 per share FIRE INSURANCES.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$176 per istraire, sales. Chlis Fire Insurance Company-\$77 per share, buyeta.

The Stratts Fire Insurance Co., Ld., \$2 per share, buyers. SHIPPING. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.--Find per share, sales and buyers.

China and Manila Steam Ship Company-\$65. Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited' -837. buyers. Dougles Steamship Company-\$52, sellers.

- Chius Mutual Shippers Co., Ld.—(Preference)-16 per share, nominal. China Mutual Shippers Co., Ld,-(Ordinary)fr per share, nominal,

REFINERIES. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$145 uer share, sellers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$48,

MINING. Purison Mining Co,-(Ordinary)-\$6 per share, Fun in Mining Co .-- (Preference)-\$1.75 per The . . as Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$3.75 per The siew Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-\*f.2f ber share, buyers.:

Societe Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin -3 70 per share, sellers. The City in Mining and Trading Co., Limitedflact sales and buyers. THE RES. TYHARVES AND GODOWNS.

Bone or and Whampon Dock Company-83 with premium, buyers. Gen a mit tele b Co., Limited-\$15 per share,

Ho per a sea Rowloon Wharf and Godown mere \$26 per share, sellers. War and Warehouse Co., Ld. \$371 per share,

model Company—30/ per share, Honology Motel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures The State on Hotal Co., Limited—nominal. LANDS AND BUILDING. The Euritana Land Investment Co., Limited-Sa per share, sellers, The Creating Land Investment Co., Limited-

%r.i buyers. The Marci Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$15 go, share, sales and buyers. Hun. 'mers' Estate and Finance Co., Ld.—\$14 Ajax, British steamer, for Amoy, &c. par share, sellers.

DISPENSARIES. A. S. Marker & Co., Limited-401, buyers. . Confelestanie & Co., Limited-\$1 per altered buvees. Miscrllaneous. Hough ing Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$5 per Namon, British steamer, for Swatow, &c.

share, buveys, H. C. Frown & Co., Limited-\$5 per share, Househour Bose Manufacturing Company.

Limited -\$125 per share, buyers. Hongroug Gas Company--- \$125 per share, buyers. Hong being Ice Company-\$76 per share, buyers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited - fac per share, sellers. The Honghous Brick and Cement Co., Limited-

An her share! buveza. The Green Island Coment Co. 35, buyers. The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$4.75, buyers.

The Hangkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited -- \$70, buyers. Campbell, Moore & Co., Ld. -\$2 per share.

RECHANGE. Back Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 1/114 Credits at a months' sight ..... 2/0' Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 2/01 On Panis-Bank Billis, on demand ......2.47 Credits, at a months' sight .....2.52 On Inner, :— 

Private, 30 days' sight ...........721 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)..810 Silver (per oz.) ......27#

Bank, T. T. ..... 713

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE GERMAN MAIL The N. D. Lloyd Co.'s steamer Bayern, with the outward German mail, left Singapora on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on the

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Oceanic, with mails, &c., from San Francisco on the 12th ultimo, left Nagasaki on the roth instant, and may be expected here on the 14th.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer Empress of China left Vancouver on the 4th Instant for Yokohams, Shanghai and Hongkong,

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer Gisela left Singapore on the 8th Instant, and may be expected here on the 15th. .The Navigazione Generale Italiana steamer Risagno left Bombay on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 20th.

#### Shinying.

ARRIVALS.

MERI NETHSHIRE, British steamer, 1,949, D. Davies, 11th March,-London 21st January, and Singapore 5th March, General .-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. ORMISTON, Biltish steamer, 2,306, E. Outram,

11th March,-Moji 7th March, General.-Nippon Yusen Kalsha. TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, Mailer, 11th March,-Pakhol 8th March, and Holhow

10th, General.—Chinese. DEUTEROS, German steamer, 700, Lawsen, 11th March,-Bangkok 4th March, Rice,-Siemssen & Co.

WINGSANG, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Crolx, 12th March,-Calculta 23rd Feb. Penang 2nd March, and Singapore 5th, Oplum and General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. CALED CURTIS, British schooner, 67, Raymond

12th March,-Paracel Islands (China Sea) 7th March, Ballast.-China Traders Insurance Co. ROHILLA, British steamer, 2,167, G. C. Henning. R.N.R., 12th March,-Shanghai 9th March, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co.

CHUSAN, German steamer, 623, W. Wendt, 12th March,-Shanghai 8th March, Rice,-Melchers & Co. TAISANG, British steamer, 1,505, H. W. Hogg, 12th Merch,-Shanghai, and Swatow 11th March, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ayr, British steamer, 1,955, F. Johnson, 13th

March. -Kutchinotzu 6th March, Coal .-Mitsu Bishi Kaisha. NIOBE, German steamer, 1,608, E. G. Plaff, 12th March,-Hamburg 18th January, and Singapore 4th March, General.—Siemssen

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Sabine Rickmers, German steamer, for Amoy, Whamboa, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. China, German steamer, for Saigon. Zafiro, British steamer, for Manila. Cassius, German steamer, for Amoy. Monmouthshire, British str., for Singapore, &c. Sishan, British steamer, for Amoy. Catherine Apcar, British str., for Singapore, &c.

DEPARTURES.

March 12. Thales, British str., for Swatow, &c. March 12, Oakley, British str., for Shanghal, &c. March 12, Asloun, British steamer, for Singa-

March 12, Kung-ping, British steamer, to Shanghal March 12, Whampoa, British str., for Swatow. March 12, Ajax, British str., for Amoy, &c. March 12, China, German str., for Salgon,

March 12, Catherine Apcar, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. March 12, Sishan, British str., for Amoy. March 12, Maria Febsen, German steamer, for

March 12, Sabins Rickmers, German steamer, for Swatow.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Wingsang, from Calcutte, &c .- Mrs. Pope, Miss Broth, Captain J. Knight, Messrs. Marshall and son, Walker, Veremuller, 2 Chinese ladies, 3 gentlemen, 1 European, Indians, and 526 Chinese.

Per Rohilla, from Shanghal for Hongkong,-Mrs. Cushney, 2 children and amab, Mrs. Williams and child, Mrs. Gwynn Hall, Mrs. Maria Baptista, Miss Mignon Wood, Messrs. C. N. Baird, H. W. Fraser, Patey, Ah Sing, Master McArthur, and to Chinese. For London .- Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ritchie.

Per Taisang, from Shanghai, &c.-Mr. and Mrs. Assumrção and 4 children, Captain Croad, Messrs. Size Ah Kim, Lizo Joo Sang, and 60 Chinese. Per Niobe, from Hamburg, &c., for Hongkong. -Messrs, Kahn, Dobrz, and 200 Chinese.

The Billish steamship Merionethshire left London on the 21st January, and Singapore on the 5th instant, and had north-east winds and TERRACE." fine weather.

The British steamship Talsang, from Stange bal, left Swatow on the 11th Instant, and had moderate winds and fine weather until approach. ing port, when a dense fog was encountered. The British schooner Caleb Curtis left Paracel Islands (China Sea) on the 7th instant and had light east-south-east winds to rac sailed

south of Hongkong; thence to port had strong east to north-east winds and high north-east sea with cloudy and rainy weather. The German steamship Niobe left Hamburg on the 18th January, and Singapore on the ath instant, and had light breeze from north-east to east with smooth are and fine weather to within 200 miles of Hongkong; thence to port had

strong winds and high head sea with overcast weather. The British steamship Wingsang left Calcutta on the 2ard ultime, Penang on the and destant, and Singapore on the 5th. From Calcutte to Penang had fine weather with smooth see and light variable winds. From Penang to Siega-pore had similar weather. From Singapore to Houghoug had light north-east and bast winds with clear weather and smooth sea.

### Post Mace.

A MATE WILL CLOSS— For Swatow and Bangkok.-Per Phra Chula Chow Klao to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 9 30 A.M. For Kobe and Vokohama .-- Per Orono tomorrow, the 19th instant, at 11.30 A.M.

SHIPPING IN HONOKONG STRAMETS. AMCOMA, British steamer, 7,888, W. D. Mudle,

11th March,-Yokohama 2nd March, Malle and General .-- P. & O. S. N. Co. Ask, Davish steamer, 302, N. C. Revsbeck, 11th March,—Halphong 9th March, Generai.--A. R. Marty. BENLAWERS, British steamer, 1,484, A. Webster. 11th March,-Saigon 8th March, General,

-Wo Kee. Cassius, German steamer, 1 504, Unruh, 7th March,-Moil 1st March, Coals,-Lants, Wegener & Co. CHANGSHA, Brilish steamer, 1,450. O. Anderson. 11th March,-Sydney 20th Feb., General.

-Butterfield & Swire. CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,055, Chas. Stonham, 5th March,-Bangkok 25th Feb., General.-

Yuen Fat Hong. COPTIC. British steamer, 2,744. H. St. G. Lindsey, R.N.R., 24th Feb.,-Cardiff, via Sues 15th Jan., Coal .- O. & O. S. S Co. EMPRESS OF TAPAN, British steamer, 5,904, Geo. A. Lee, R.N.R., 27th Feb.,-Vancouver 5th Feb., Yokohama 10th, and Shanghai 25th, Malls and General.-C. P. Railway and Steamship Co.

FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain Stopani,-Hongkong and Whampos Dock Co.'s tug. FORMOSA, Brillish steamer, 674, Hall, 10th March. Tameul 7th March, and Amoy oth, General. -- D. Lapralk & Co.

LYDERHORA, Norwegian steamer 2,014, B. Hammerass, 10th March,-Kutchinotzu 5th March, Coals.-Mitsui Bussan Kalshs. MONMOUTHSHIRE, British steamer, 1,872, W. A. Evans, 10th March,-Amoy 9th March

General -- Dodwell, Carlill & Co. NAMOA, British steamer, 862, W. Thom, 11 March,-Foochow 7th March, Amby 8th. and Swatow roth, General .- D. Lapraik

NURNBERG, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, 7th March,-Yokohama 26th Feb., Kobe ret March and Nagasaki 3rd, Mails and General. - Melchers & Co. ORONO, British steamer, 1,321, W. Hancock,

4th March,-Salgon 26th Feb., Rice, Paddy and General,-Wo Kee. PAKSHAN, British steamer, 835, J. Jenkins, oth March,-Bangkok 28th March, Rice,-Hop Hing Hong,

ARTHIAN, British steamer, 1,040, C. C. Thom-

son, 10th March,-Saigon 5th March, Rice. -Ed. Schellbass & Co. PERA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer. 1.012. J. A. Morris, 12th March,-Bangkok 27th Feb., and Koh-si-chang 1st March, Rice and General .- Yuen Fat Houg. RECORDER, British steamer, 677, R. A. E.

Brereton, 17th Jan.,-Singapore 12th Jan.,

Telegraph Cable.—E. E. A. & C. Telegraph SHANTUNG, British steamer, 1,535. Frampton, 9th March,—Sourabaya 25th Feb., Sugar, -Butterfield & Swire.

SIKH, British steamer, 1,735, James Rowley, 7th March,-Tacoma 6th February, Yokeasma 27th, and Kobe 1st Merch, General.-Dodwell, Carilli & Co. SOPHIE RICKMERS, German steamer, 2,034, H.

Anderson, 10th March,-Amoy oth March, Ballast.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. STRAITS OF DOVER, British steamer, 1,004. Ed. Holliday, 10th March, -Moji 4th March, Coals.-Carlowitz & Co.

TETARTOS, German steamer, 1,804. P. Lassen, 17th March,-Saigon 7th March, Rice and Paddy,-Siemssen & Co. YUENSAMO, British steamer, 1,106, W. Waddilove, 11th March,-Manile 8th March,

General .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. ZAYTRO, British steamer, 675. J G. Gerard, 9tl March,-Manila 6th March, General.-Shewan & Co.

BAILING VESERLS. ARDNAMURCHAN, British ship, 1,614 S. W Crosby, 27th Feb., -Cardiff 23rd October, Coals, --- Government. COLOMA, American bark, 859, C. H. Noyes, 31st

Dec. -Fortland 8th October, and Honolule 20th, Timber -- Master. GARTHA, Norwegian barque, 541, C. Tengelson, 22nd February,-Albany (W. A.) 6th Jan., Sandal Wood.—Siemssen & Co.

GERARD C. ROBRY, American ship, 1,900; Shurtley, 1st March,-New York 11th Oct. Kerosene Cil,-Order. GEO. R. SKOLFIELD, American ship, 1,645, S. S.

Dasning, and March,-Newcastle, N.S.W. gth January, Coal,-Butterfield & Swies. GOV. ROBIE, American ship, 1.627, Nichols, 17th Feb.,-New York 7th October, Keroscine Oll.—Order.

Krity, British bark, 803, Herd, 25th Fab. Quinhon 1 1th Feb., Salt .-- Musso & Co LUCY A. NICKEL, American bark, 1,330, Colson, 10th March,-Amoy 4th March, General-Carlowits & Co. MOHECAN. American bark, 963, Johnston, 1st

March,-Honolulu arth January, Ballast .--ORANGE GROVE, British bark, 355, Atkins, 24th Feb.,-Albany 21st Dec., Sandalwood .-

Glimen & Co. RAJAH, German ship, 1,245, Joh. Bellmer, 18th Jan.,-Cardiff 1st Sept., Coal.-Order, SACHEM, American ship, 1,312. J. C. Bartlett, 11th Jan.,-Hiogo 30th Dec., General.-

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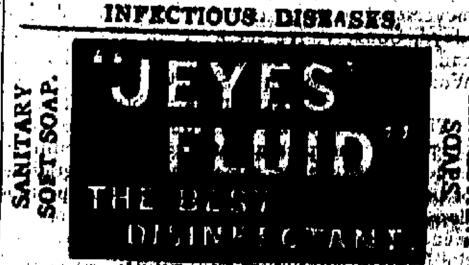
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